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Applicant(s):

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REMOTE WIRELESS UNIT HAVING REDUCED POWER OPERATING MODE FOR A DISCRETE MULTITONE SPREAD SPECTRUM COMMUNICATIONS

SYSTEM

### PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

#### **IN THE SPECIFICATION**

Please REPLACE the paragraphs in the specification to read as follows:

## Page 1, Paragraph 1:

This patent application is a Continuation-in-Part of the copending US patent application by David Gibbons, et al., entitled "REMOTE WIRELESS UNIT HAVING REDUCED POWER OPERATING MODE", serial number 08/796,586, filed February 6, 1997, and assigned to AT&T Wireless Services, Inc.

# Page 1, Paragraphs 2 and 3:

The invention disclosed herein is related to the co-pending U.S. patent application by Sivash Alamouti, Doug Stolarz, and Joel Becker, entitled "VERTICAL ADAPTIVE ANTENNA ARRAY FOR A DISCRETE MULTITONE SPREAD SPECTRUM COMMUNICATIONS

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